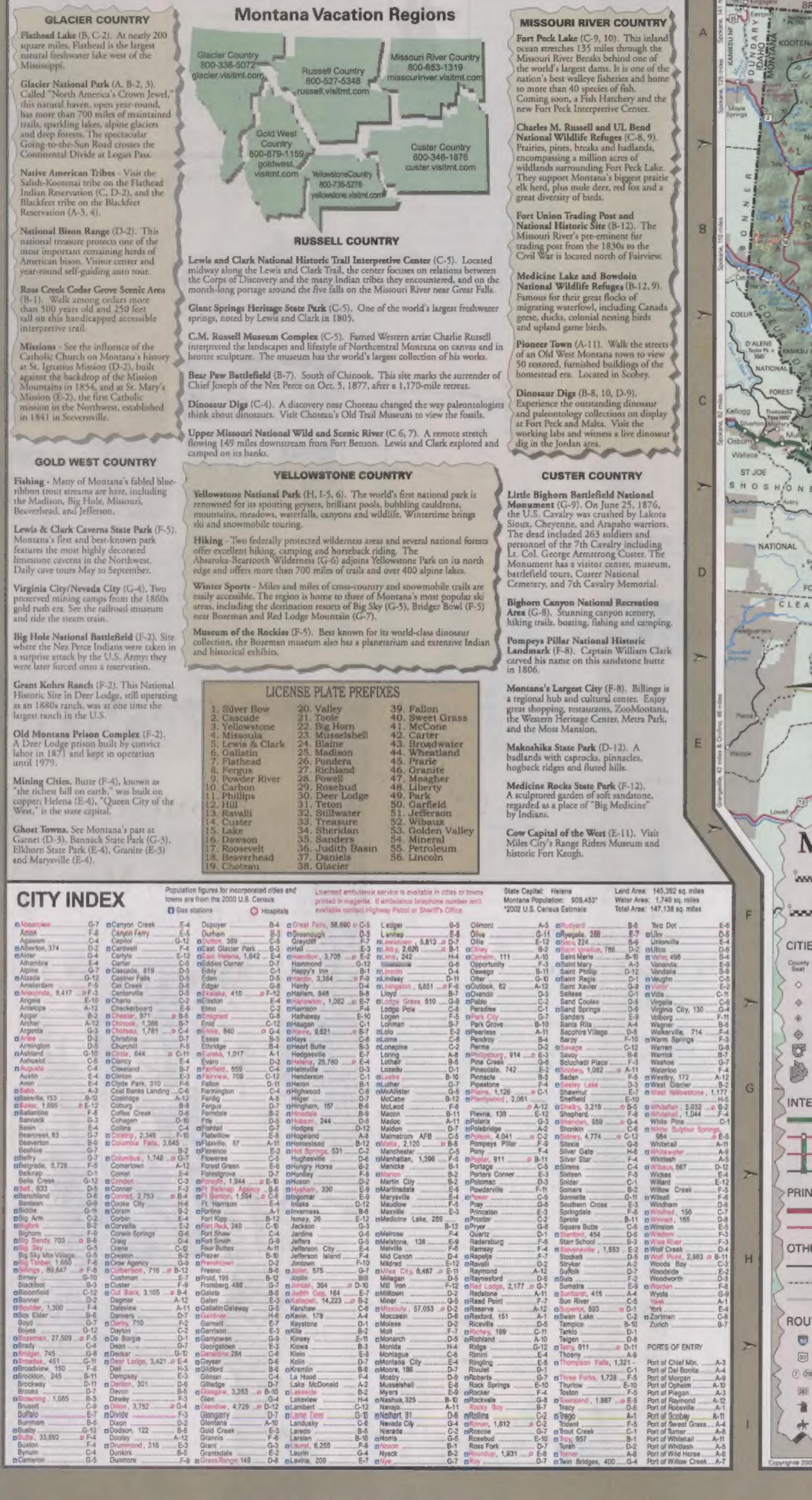


A man with a beard and a cap sits on a large, light-colored rock. He is wearing a camouflage shirt and shorts, and is holding binoculars up to his eyes, looking towards the horizon. The background features a vast landscape with mountains, a river, and a cloudy sky.

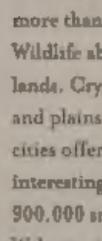
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## WELCOME TO A VERY SPECIAL PLACE

Montana's nickname is Big Sky Country. But we're more than big skies—we're a land of big adventure. Wildlife abounds in millions of acres of public lands. Crystal clear waters, inspiring mountains and plains of green fill our landscape. Unique cities offer art, history, culture and other interesting attractions. And everywhere, some 900 smiling faces are waiting to greet you. Welcome to Montana, and enjoy your stay.



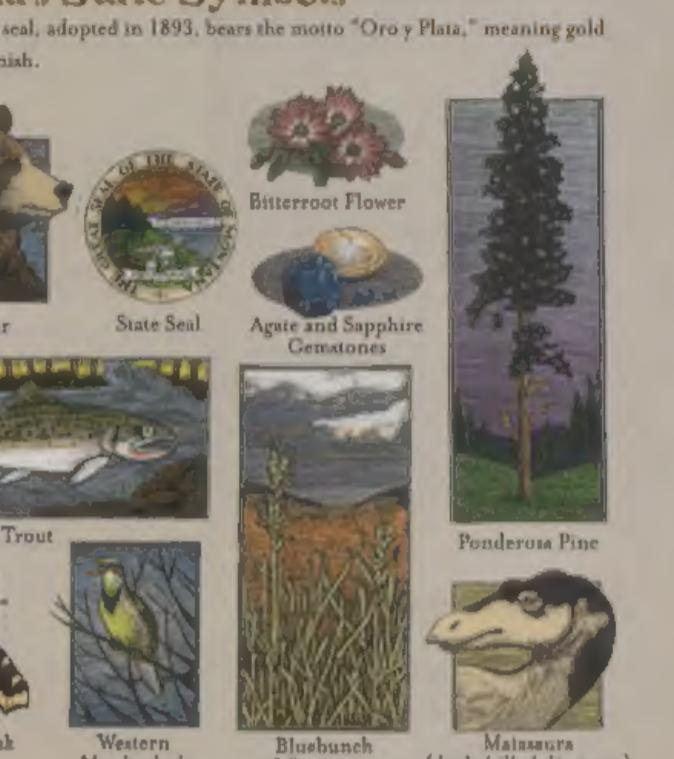
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## LEWIS AND CLARK TRAIL

Route the route of the Lewis and Clark Expedition through Montana. In just over 25 months—from May 1804 to September 1806—Meriwether Lewis and William Clark traveled more than 8,000 miles on foot, on horseback and by boat. More than a quarter of that distance was spent in Montana, where much of the land they explored remains unchanged. Follow them through Montana along portions of many state, U.S. and interstate highways, on the map below. Look for the Lewis & Clark Trail sign.

Among the sites are: (1) The scenic White Cliffs of the Missouri River, accessible by river travel only. (2) Fort Benton, (3) Green Falls, with the Lewis & Clark National Historic Trail Interpretive Center and Giant Springs Heritage State Park, where Clark discovered a huge "fountain or spring" during an 18-mile portage around the Great Falls of the Missouri. (4) The Gates of the Mountains, north of Helena on I-15, where the Missouri flows through a narrow passage flanked by what Lewis described as "the most remarkable cliffs that we have yet seen." (5) Missouri Headwaters State Park near Three Forks, where the Jefferson, Madison and Gallatin rivers join to form the Missouri. (6) Beaverhead Rock State Monument, an important landmark north of Dillon on MT 41. (7) Lemhi Pass, west of Hwy. 324 in southwestern Montana, where Lewis and Clark crossed the Continental Divide on their journey westward. (8) Traveler's Rest, near the junction of US 12 and 95 south of Missoula, where the expedition split parties on the return trip east. (9) Lolo Hot Springs, on US 12 southwest of Missoula, where the expedition

## Montana's State Symbols



There is a wealth of information about the state free for the asking. Call 800-VISITMT 1800-847-4848, 800-841-2870 to request information about lodging, camping, fishing, skiing, snowmobiling, golf and other activities. Visit Montana's Department of Transportation web site for information about scenic byways, road reports and weather. Other resources include:

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